POWERS GETS KING.

The Silver-Haired Young Man Agrees to Go and Pitch for the New York League Club.

A HIGH SALARY AGREED UPON.

Jimmy Galvin and Ed Swartwood Sign Contracts to Play on the Pittsburg Team.

MAGNATES ARRIVE IN NEW YORK.

General Demand for a Peace Settlement-Baseball News of Interest.

Pat Powers, the new manager of the New York club, arrived in the city yesterday, presumably to have a talk with Dick Buckley, but really to try and sign Charley King to pitch for the New York club next year. As a result the manager and player came to terms, but King declined to sign until to-day.

The pair had a long conversation, chiefly because King's terms were too high in the estimation o' Manager Powers. Finally, the latter accepted the figures of the "Silver-haired" young man, and a contract was made out, and it was then that King hesitated until he had a conversation with some friends. He finally concluded

To Close the Deal To-Day, the understanding being that Manager Powers is to wire King this morning for King's reply. The reply will be that he, King, accepts the terms and will sign the

Last evening King was asked by the writer if the above statement was correct, and he replied: "Every word is true. I have made up my mind to sign with the New York club next year. My terms are high, but Mr. Powers has consented to pay the money, and I will let him know to-morrow that the business is settled. The Pittsburg club has no claim on my services. The directors released me, which meant that they did not care whether I played here or not. I, therefore, had to look out for myself, and they will get a good man in my place."

There cannot but be a general regret at

the loss of King to the local club. All along it has been thought that he would certainly stay here, as the Association had blacklisted him, and that other League clubs would keep their hands off him, so as to give Pittsburg a chance to get him at a a much reduced salary.

Hopes are Blighted.

These expectations, according to King's present intention, have fallen short, and as a result the New York club will get a good pitcher, and Pittsburg, by its own foolish action, will lose one. It is quite true that the local club directors have been strongly wishing that King was signed by them. And it is also a fact that one of the reasons that Mark Baldwin is not yet signed is to prevent other pitchers from comparing his salary with what is offered them. It may be said with safety that the loss of King will be felt to a greater extent than many people think. He has acted perfectly within the limits of right, and very likely

he will be a good gamer.

Manager Powers also had a long conversation with Catcher Buckley. He declined to talk business with the manager at pres-ent, because Von der Ahe has a 15-day op-tion on Buckley's services. That is, Buck-ley has given Vondy his terms, and Vondy has 15 days to accept or reject them. Glass-cook has a similar agreement with Von der Ahe. Mr. Powers went to Wheeling last evening to visit Glasscock.

The New York manager stated that there will be a good team in New York, as some of the best players in the country are at plying to sign contracts with the club.

Galvin and Swartwood Sign. Galvin also had a long conference with Director Kerr, of the local club, but nothing definite was done. It is probable, how-ever, that Galvin will sign to play here. Mr. Kerr made him an offer which was intended to cover Jimmy's claim of \$500. Old Sport declined to accept it, but stated that he would let Mr. Kerr know definitely about the matter Friday. Jimmy will be in Chicago to-morrow and will then consider offers from that club. His claim of \$500 was satisfactorily adjusted. He is to receive \$3,000 for next season, at least so report says. He speaks highly of Mr. Kerr as a

fair-minded negotiator.

And Ed Swartwood was also signed at Director Kerr's house last evening. Ed will play right field, Corkhill, center and Hanlon left; at least that is the present arrangement. During the past season Swart-wood played excellent ball.

ALL WANT PEACE.

Great Gathering of Baseball Magnates in New York-Interesting Opinions Expressed Regarding the Situation-Al Johnson Said to Be on Deck Again to Help Jim Mutrie.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10 .- [Special.]-The city is now well crowded with baseball magnates of League and Association. The League will meet to-morrow, and rumors are now numerous that great efforts will be made to arrange peace between the two organizations. The following opinions on the matter were expressed by the various mag-

William Barnie, who coaxed Richardson and Conner away from New York, said: "Yes, I'm in favor of peace, if it can be secured on equitable terms. Otherwise I am

George W. Wagner, brother of J. Earl Wagner, remarked: "The prospect for an Association team here is bright, but it all depends on grounds. Mr. Prince, of Boston, has subscribed \$5,000 toward a club here, and I think the Association can be depended upon for \$25,000. Mr. Elliott, Vice President and attorney of our club, called President and attorney of our club, called on Mr. Spalding this morning and bought the ten shares of stock owned by Roger Conner. We shall attend the meetings of the New York club in the future, and learn

how a League club is conducted. Gus Schmelz said he was there as a mem-Gus Schmeiz said he was there as a member of the Circuit Committee. Columbus is kicking hard against being thrown out of the Association, an event of which they stand in deadly fear.

T. S. Elliott said the 12-club idea would not be entertained in Philadelphia. He didn't see how it could be worked. He was in favor of an honorable presse.

in favor of an honorable peace.

When Chris Von der Ahe was asked what he thought of the 12-club idea, he said: he thought of the 12-club idea, he said:

"That needs study. I don't think I'm in favor of it. I'm in favor of peace if it can be secured on an equitable basis. We ought to get back to the days when the spring and fall games between the two bodies net ted so much money. This seems to be a game of freeze-out, and it's a question which can stand it longest. It's hurting the game and should be stopped. The Association Peace Committee is still in existence, and is ready to meet the League. istence, and is ready to meet the League. But if the League insists on a war to the knife we shall meet them. If it comes to a battle the Association will start a sporting goods manufactory in opposition to the Spaldings. No matter what the Associa-tion does none of its clubs will be thrown

down. If it is necessary to get rid of one club it will be bought out." club it will be bought out."

When E. B. Talcott was asked what he thought of the prospects of an Association team here he laughed and said: "The idea is absurd. I don't believe anybody with common sense would think of attempting to put a team in here with the certainty of a bitter fight with the League team. They

would not only have to go to great expense for grounds, but would have to guarantee salaries of players, and big salaries at that. It would entail a risk of \$75,000 or \$100,000, without the slightest prospect of getting a cent on the investment, and I don't know anybody who would assume such a risk at

present."

J. W. Spalding remarked: "I am not at all uneasy over the talk of an Association team here. If they do put a team in this city, which is very improbable, they will get all the fight they want. I think the 12-club plan is a good one, and I think it will be earnestly pushed."

It is asserted that the chief backer of Mutrie in his effort to organize an Association team is Al Johnson, who took an active part in the Brotherhood revolt.

MUTRIE AND DAY MEET.

Jeems Says He Is Sorry to Have to Fight Against His Friend. NEW YORK, Nov. 10 .- [Special.]-Presi

dent Day, "Jim" Mutrie and Manager Powers met in Mr. Day's office yesterday. Powers said that he was sorry to be obliged to take Mutrie's place, but as the position was offered to him he accepted it. Mutrie replied that he did not care and had no feeling in the matter. He had laid his plans for an Association team to be placed in Gotham, fully expecting to be "bounced" by the League club. He had had backing offered him for a new team as far back as

last August.
Turning to President Day, Mutrie, with a smile, said: "I am sorry to leave you, Mr. Day, after so many years of friendly association. It will seem odd to be fighting you."
President Day smiled significantly and remarked: "Well, Jim, we have not begun to fight yet," with an intimation that there can be no war unless two armies are in the field.

Off to New York.

Messrs. O'Neil, Scandrett, Brown and A. G. Pratt left for New York last evening. The last named went on private business. Mr, O'Neil went as a League director and the other two gentlemen went as representa-tives of the local club. They were all in

SULLIVAN'S MONEY IS UP

For a Go at Slavin in Septem

NEW YORK, Nov. 10 .- [Special.]-Definite rord from John L. Sallivan, concerning a match with Paddy Slavin, was received today by Charley Johnston, of Brooklyn. It came in the form of a letter, which reads as

THE BALDWIN HOTEL. }
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 2, 1891. {
FRIEND CHARLEY—I thought I would drop you a line to let you know I am in God's country once more. I did not really have the courage to write you from Australia. It is the worst hole in the world. I wish you would make a match for me with Slavin, to would make a match for me with Slavin, to come off in the latter part of September or the middle of October, for the largest purse offered, and a side bet of the greatest amount the other side will put up. You are to have sole control of the match, and no one else. All I want is a chance at this fellow Slavin. Now, I wish you would nail Slavin and his party to the cross. Whatever you do in this matter will be agreeable to me, as you in this matter will be agreeable to me, as you know how to make a match without any

JOHN L. SULLIVAN. Johnston went to the Illustrated News office and told Editor Lumley that he was ready to put up \$2,500 to bind the match with the Australian. "Don't lose time," said Johnston, "the quicker the thing is done the better." Lumley lost no time, and the money was put up at once. With the forfeit was this challenge:

the forfeit was this challenge:

New York Nov. 10, 1891.—On behalf of John L. Sullivan, who has empowered me to arrange a match with Frank Slavin for the championship of the world and as much more so the Australian can possibly raise, I challenge the said Mr. Slavin to meet the champion in a fair stand up fight, the battle to take place in America, before some responsible club who will offer the largest purse, the match to take place in the latter part of September or early part of October, under the recognized rules. To show my earnestness I berewish deposit \$2,500, to remain up until January 1, 1892.

Charles Johnston.

QUITE A NOVEL PLAN.

If Steve Farrell Beats the American Rec

He Will Get the Stakes, The backers of Smith and Farrell met vesterday afternoon to try and settle the difficulty relative to last Saturday's foot race at Recreation Park. After considerable discussion it was agreed that if Farrell can run 300 yards on the track at New Castle in 3114 seconds Smith's backer, John Quinn, will allow Farrell to have all the stake money up for last Saturday's race. This arrangement was come to because Quinn claimed that Smith had run 300 yards in 3114 seconds in a trial on the track named. That time is a quarter second better than the American record, so that Far-rell has quite a task before him, but he is confident of doing it. The distance that Smith ran at New Castle was marked off, and if it is found to be short Farrell will and if it is found to be short. Farrell will get the money without running. If Farrell tails to accomplish his task each party will get their \$500 back. If the track is wet the trial won't be made until the weather and track are favorable. The plan of settlement is certainly a unique one, and presumably Farrell has all the worst of it.

Ewing Will Stay.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 10.-Captain William Ewing is at his home here, unmoved by the exciting events that are taking place at the metropolis. New York will certainly see him in harness next season. "Will I play ball for the New Yorks?" he asked in response to a query of a Sun correspondent. Well, I guess yes. My arm is as good as it ever was on everything except quick snap it ever was on everything except quick snap throws. I am suree it will come around all right next spring. About the middle of January I will start for the Hot Springs, and I will start for the Hot Springs, and I will start for the waters there could cure Latham's crooked arm they can benefit mine. We will have a team in New York, and a good one at that. You can wager that Richardson and Glasscock will be with the New Yorks. There is where they want to play, and both are under conthey want to play, and both are under con-tract to the New York club. Richardson is signed for three years with the New York club; so is Glasscock. I would as well see John Reilly on first base as Roger Connor. John Ewing is as good as signed. He will stick to New York. I think the League race next season will be better than it was this year.

Results at Guttenburg. GUTTENBURG, N. J., Nov. 10.-The track was in good order, but the fog brought out only horses of a poorer class than usual. First race, five furlongs-Zenobia first, Polly S second, Stratagem third. Time, 1:02. Second race, seven furlongs-Kimberly first, Toano second, Arab third. Time,

1234.
Third race, mile and a furlong—Banquet first, Lizzie second, Masterlode third. Time, 12574.
Fourth race, five furlongs—Torney third.

first, Kittie Van second, Sirrocco third. Time, 1934.
Fifth race, six furlongs—Batsman won, Vernon second, Irregular third. Time, 1:16%. Sixth race, one mile—St Dennis first, Ona-way second, Sirrae third. Time, 1:45.

Washington Races. BENNINGS RACE TRACK, Nov. 10 .-Threatening weather, but the track was in

First face, five and one-half furlongs—Lost Star, first; Umpire Kelly, second; Balarat, third. Time, 1:10½. Second race, six furlongs—Holmdel colt, first; Dora, second; Ninone, Third. Time,

Manhattan's Famous Football Eleven Retire From the Field.

THE EFFECTS OF A VERY BAD RULE

Some Rattling Good Practice Work by the Leading University Aggregations.

GENERAL SPORTING NEWS OF THE DAY

NEW YORK, Nov. 10 .- [Special.]-The amous football team of the Manhattan Athletic Club, which has made such a brilliant record, disbanded for the season last night. Never before was an amateur athletic organization able to get together such a crack eleven as the Manhattans turned out this fall, and some football authorities even went so far as to predict that, with a little practice, it would beat any team in the ountry. That it was a rattling good one was shown in the way in which it defeated the Columbia

College eleven in such hollow style and the wonderfully fine game it played against the When the Manhattans joined the Amerian Football Union and entered their eleven it was thought by many good judges that the championship emblem would be seen floating from the cherry diamond's club

house at the end of the season Passed a Bad Rule.

The Manhattan men felt confident it would, and backed their opinion with their noney. The action of the union, however, 24 hours before the first game in passing a rule prohibiting the Manhattan's best players from competing knocked all the calculations out, for the M. A. C. officials, believ-ing that their clubmates had been unfairly treated, sent in the club's resignation from

The action of the union greatly discour-aced the men and if it hadn't been for the objectionable rule the team would still be objectionable rule the team would still be playing in the union series. The union's position in the matter has been severely criticised. The rule which made the Man-hattan men angry compelled every player on a team in the championship games to re-side within 100 miles of the club which he represented. This shuts out Ames, the famous full back, and "Spor" Donnelly, Cash and Lilly, of Princeton's champion eleven, who reside in Chicago, and whom the Manhattans depended upon for the best of their playing

of their playing.

Many who admitted that the rule itself was a good one thought that the union acted very unfairly in passing it on such short notice and after the Manhattans stated that the players mentioned would be on its

The Manhattans must have believed they had a rattling good team, for immediately after the club withdrew from the union a challenge was sent to the Harvard football challenge was sent to the Harvard football eleven to play them for a cup of the value of \$250. The Manhattan eleven went into active training under the care of "Jim." Robinson for the proposed game with the Cambridge men. Practice games were played on Manhattan field under the electric light, and the boys had got down to good, steady team work. "Jim" Robinson was very much pleased with the way in which his men were playing and felt confident of their ability to whip Harvard.

"Jim" and his players were very much

"Jim" and his players were very much crestfallen yesterday when they were informed that the Harvard was unable to arrange the game and, having no more important games on hand, they decided to disband

"Jim" said last night that he will turn out two teams next season that will make a great record. He will see to it that the first 11 of the club will be on the field early and in first-class condition when the big games begin.

THANKSGIVING DAY'S GAME.

The Auction Sale of Tickets Is Proving a Tremendous Success.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.-[Special.]-S. J. Cornell, who has the management of the Thanksgiving Day game of football between Yale and Princeton at Manhattan Field, has been besieged during the past few days by people desirous of securing seats.

The auction sale on Saturday night was

voted a tremendous success. The pre-miums on boxes, coach stalls and choice seats reached big figures in nearly every case. Everything left over after the anction sale Saturday night was placed on sale at the box office of the Manhattan Athletic Club Theater, Madison avenue and Forty-fifth street. Captain Cornell adheres strictly to his rule to sell tickets only to those wi wish them for their own use and that of their immediate families. This has the result of almost entirely shutting out the speculators. The latter, however, resort to every artifice to secure tickets. They make written requests over different names and give them to Mutual District messenger boys to procure tickets. Captain Cornell in every instance refused to honor any such requests and the ticket speculators were com-pletely left and the followers of Yale and Princeton were given the best of the bar-gain. At 5 o'clock last night the covered grand stand was entirely sold out, not a single sent being left. Therefore the only chance that remains for the Princeton and Yale graduates to secure seats is to make application to President Wright at Yale

and President Farrand at Princeton.

Every private box and all coach and carriage space has been sold. The sale of seats upon open reserved stand "D" will begin at the Manhattan Athletic Club Theater ticket office at 9 o'clock this morning.

Capt. Cornell has decided not to sell any capt.

capt. Cornell has decided not to sell any admission tickets until three days before Thanksgiving. This is to prevent any counterfeit tickets being made. The tickets have been printed by the American Bank Note Company and will of course be hard too unterfeit tickets there will be a leaf to surterfeit tickets there will be a large force of detectives employed to prevent the sale of any in the event of their being offered for sale, and the public is warned not to buy admission tickets except at certain

designated places.

Capt. Cornell has received fabulous offers for reserved seats, private boxes and coach spaces, but he cannot furnish them. The indications are that the attendance at this year's game will be the greatest ever known in the annals of American sports,

THE YALE ELEVEN.

A Couple of Changes Made in the Team to Make Matters Better.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Nov. 10 .- Captain McClung and Josh Hartwell made a couple of changes in the Yale eleven to-day as a result of their visit to Harvard and Philadelphia on Saturday. Winter was transferred from left to right tackle, changing places with Wallis. The move was made with a view to the Harvard game for the purpose of putting Wallis against Upton and Winter against Newell. Newell proved too much for Wallis last year, and this year will be assigned to Winter, who is physical-

will be assigned to Winter, who is physically a much more powerful man.

Hartwell was taken from left and placed at right, his old position being taken by Hinckey, who was thought to be too light to face "Slugger" Mason, of Harvard.

Hartwell held a conference with Stagg after Saturday's game at Cambridge, and learned the details of the trick by which Stagg scored against Harvard. It was tried at the field practice this afternoon and worked like a charm. A run of 20 yards through the center and a touchdown resulted.

Stillman, center; Morrison, right guard; Winter, right tackle; Hartwell, right end; Barbour, quarter back; McClung, left half back; C. Bliss, right half back, and Mc-Cormick, full back.

AN AWFUL DISBUPTION.

Association Football Kickers Take Action and Jeopardize the League,

There is an awful disruption in the West-ern Pennsylvania Football League. A gen-eral meeting of that organization was held last evening in the Natatorium to hear four protests regarding games played, and as a result all the protests were sustained, and Secretary Macpherson intends to resign.

Probably never in the history of athletic organizations were more stupid and illogical decisions arrived at. Pittsburg seemed to be the target of everybody's envy under all algorithms there. circumstances. Even decisions that had been made by referees on their own judg-ment and observation were reversed and discarded. It didn't need a violation of rule last evening to cause the majority to "sit" on the referee of any protested game; it only needed somebody to say that the referee saw a play different to somebody else who was opposing the Pittsburg team and that settled it.

In one instance, a protest was sustained simply because Secretary Macpherson had appointed a Pittsburg man to referee a Pittsburg game. The referee in question was Fred Goodwyn, a gentleman whom every team in the League has desired to officiate for them. The contesting teams were ficiate for them. The contesting teams were the Pittsburgs and the McDonalds. The latter were beaten and hence their wail. But there is no rule demanding that the referee of any game shall or shall not reside at any particular place. In view of this fact Mr. Macpherson took the decision as an insult to himself, and he could not well do otherwise. And let it be said that he has done more for the League, than any four done more for the League than any four men in it. He stated last evening that he is determined to wash his hands of the en-

tire affair.

The protests were: Bloomfield protested against a game won by Pittsburg by 4 to 1. No goal was protested, but the protest was sustained simply because the majority thought the referee, an old football player, was incompetent. The game will be played over on the first open date.

New Castle protested a game won by Homestead, the protest referring to a disputed goal. The protest was sustained. The game will be played next Saturday at Homestead.

Bloomfield protested a game given to McDonald because the former had gone to

the wrong grounds and consequently were not at the grounds selected for the game. Protest sustained and the game will be played at McDonald next Saturday.

McDonald protested a game won by Pittsburg, 3 to 2. Protest sustained.

As a result the Pittsburg team, by an evident conspiracy, has been dragged down from a close second to a tie for last place. This is not creditable to those who so un-fairly aided in the work.

GOOD WORK AT PRINCETON.

The University Kickers Do Some Excellent Practice and Feel All Right.

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 10 .- On the football field to-day the University 11 took its usual practice game. All the members of the 'Varsity participated in the game and showed themselves not much the worse for wear from the game played with the University of Pennsylvania on last Saturday. About 45 minutes were played without intermission. The first part of the game was very snappy, and the 'Varsity had pretty much its own way in rushing the ball down the field, but the latter part was characterized by much loose work, and the 'Varsity barely escaped a score being made against it. When time was called the ball was on the 'Varsity's five-yard line.

Three touchdowns were made. Homans made one unsuccessful attempt at goal from field. Alexander Moffitt, '85, did the coaching.

After Princeton's victory over the Uni-After Princeton's victory over the University of Pennsylvania on Saturday the following congratulatory telegram was received yesterday, addressed to Princeton College and signed "Harvard": "A glori-

ENCOURAGING THE KICKERS.

ichoff, of the University Team, Gets a Gold Watch for Good Work.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 10 .- [Special.]-As an extra stimulus to good work in the Princeton game Mr. Gaylord, of the medical department, offered to the members of the University team doing the best allround playing a watch, which was yesterday awarded by the directors of football, who had the matter in charge, to Schoff, who put up a magnificent game at end.

Besides having a very lame knee he had been quite sick, and all things considered

the award was just. The team is now prac-ticing for the Yale game on Saturday, and hope to show more perfect team work than they did against Princeton. Butler Is in Line.

BUTLER, Nov. 10.-[Special.]-Butler is now in line with a football team. A team

has been organized for the balance of the season, and they desire to hear from all teams playing Rugby rules. Arrangements for dates can be made by addressing John C. Graham, 117 West Diamond, Butler, Pa. Trotting at Independence. INDEPENDENCE, IA., Nov. 10 .- Races

were again called to-day at Rush Park. The classes resulted as follows: Unfinished 2:25 trot-2:25 pacing— Billy Sprägue..... Billy Spings.
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Time, 2:30½, 2:29½, 2:28, 2:41.
2:24 trot, unfinished—
Brown Cedar.
Storm. Storm 2 1 1 Rob Roy 3 3 dr Time, 2:30%, 2:28%, 2:20%.

A Challenge to Swim.

A local sporting man called at this office last evening and left the following challenge: "J. P. Fox will swim Joseph Mc-Ewan a series of races at the following distances, the best of the three to win. A quarter mile, a half mile and a mile. As Manager Goodwyn will not allow stake money to be put up for races at the Natato-rium, a suitable prize will be offered, and there can be outside betting. An answer through THE DISPATCH will receive atten-

Priddy Challenges Farrell. Joe Priddy called at this office yesterday and left the following challenge: "I am willing to run Steve Farrell a footrace of 300 yards for \$500 a side, if Farrell will con-

cede me 10 yards of a start. I will meet meet Farrell or his backer at THE DIS-PATCH office at any suitable time." Their Annual Meeting. The annual meeting of the Pittsburg

Cricket Club was held yesterday afternoon. J. E. Schwartz was re-elected President, and Walter Scott was re-elected Secretary.
Colonel J. M. Schoonmaker resigned as
Vice President and J. McK. Lloyd was
elected in his place. Other routine business was transacted.

Will Wrestle Acton. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 10 .- The Occidental Athletic Club has matched Bob

has done this on ten different tracks at regular meetings, and every heat has been trotted before the public. He holds the world's race record for 2-year-olds, 2:19%, and has won this season in stakes and exhibition money \$12,875. He has never made a break, never lost a heat, and by the records is the greatest racing 2-year-old of the decade. Budd Doble could not go to Stockton with Monbars, and he advised Richfield & Leathers, who own Monbars, to send him out with Starr. If the weather is good the colt will be keyed up and driven a tast mile there.

Ariel's Wonderful Performance STOCKTON, CAL., Nov. 10 .- Palo Alto made a race against his record (2:091/4) to-day, but broke twice and made the to-day, but broke twice and made the mile in 2:10½. Arion, the world's best 2 year old, made a wonderful mile going against his record of 2:14½. He trotted the mile without a skip in 2:10¾. "It was the greatest performance ever made, not excepting Sunol," said the veteran turfman. Bellbird, the Palo Alto yearling went to beat her world's record, 2:20¼. She hade on each trial Maryin finally iog-She broke on each trial, Marvin finally jogging her home.

General Sporting Notes. THE League magnates to-day. St. PAUL is already making arrang

A NEW YORK State League is one of the po-ities for next season. ENGLISHMEN refuse to accept Windle's record of 2:15 for a mile on a bicycle. BILLY ALVORD now says that Pfeffer may give him a chance to play third base. CONSTANT READER.—The Cincinnati team fin-ished shead of the Pittsburg team. THERE will be a foot race of 100 yards Saturday at Recreation Park between John P. Glessner and John Culbert for \$100 a side.

MADISON, WIS., is to have a kite track of most approved order. It will be the first in State. Ten such thacks are now in existence. A BASEBALL man remarked yesterday that players who are "flopping about" for gold may be made to see their mistake when it is too late. THE New York Herald says that John B. Day has Jack Glasscock's name to a contract for next year. The naper also says that Jack is too sensible to violate such a document.

THE race announced to take place at Homewood Park yesterday between Howard M. and F. Tay-lor's pacer was declared off. Socialist trotted against time and his best effort was 2:23/4. W. L. HAMERSLEY yesterday sold his colt, In-ferno (formerly lago), 4 years, by Bend Or, out of Billet Deux, to Eugene Leigh. Price said to be \$1,500. Inferno has won four purse races out of 13 starts this year. In yesterday's article in this paper regarding a silver cup for local football teams the name of Mr.

Brainard was by mistake used instead of the name of Mr. Wells, of the East End Gyms. GALVIN, Swartwood and Jim McKnight left on their hunting trip. Galvin had no gan, but had with him a huge box of cobble stones with which he will rell his game. He wants to keep his arm in form.

Many of the fastest trotters and pacers are much smaller than people suppose. Nancy Hanks is 18 hands 1½ inches high and weighed last week 840 pounds. Jay-Eye-See weighed 22 pounds when in training, and is scant 15 hands high and used to weigh 700 pounds. It is said that Horace Brown, the America trainer, will return from Europe this winter as will campaign his stable that has been so invineth there through the grand circuit next year. Amouthem will be Bosque Bonita, 2:18, the champlon Europe, Mollie Wilkes, Cash and Misty Morning.

JACK BOYLE as much as told a Cincinnati news-paper man that he would play with Cincinnati next season. Said Jack: "Comiskey told me not to do auything until I heard from him. That was over two months ago. I could have signed with the Cleveland League team, but I have been walt-ing ever since to hear from Comiskey."

the Cleveland League team, but I have been walting ever since to hear from Comiskey."

Jacob Ruppert, the brewer, is increasing his racing string at Gravesend. He is said to have paid John Dwyer \$15,000 for the 2-year filly Dashing Belie, by Hi Ban, out of Refraction. The filly began racing at Guttenburg on January I, and had been sent to the post \$25 times up to October 30, winning six races. She has earned a rest, and may do well in her 3-year-old form.

Tom Burns, in a reminiscent mood the other day, told this story of a once famous Chicago battery soon likely to be united in death; "Flint and Corcoran had funny signais for changes of curves. We did not tumble to it for a long time ourselves, for Corcoran was an extremely caudious fellow. He invariably carried a mammoth chew of tobacco in his mouth, and when he chewed he lifted it about with a movement that resembled the actions of an elephant begging peanuts of a crowd of children. Flint noticed this peculiarity and one day he suggested to Larry that he make his curve signais by shifting the chew. It worked to a charm, and many an oid timer was fooled."

THE WEATHER.



For Western Pennsulve nia: Continued Warmer Southerly Gales; Threaten ing Weather and Rain, Occasionally Heavy Rain Thursday.

For West Virginia and Ohio: Continued Warm and High, Generally Southerly Winds; Threatening Weather and Ocasionally Heavy Rains Thursday in Northern

Comparative Temperature.

PITTSBURG, Nov.10.—The United States Weather
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RIVER NEWS AND NOTES.

Prospects Excellent for a Rise. (SPECIAL TELEGRAMS TO THE DISPATCH.) PARKERSBURG, Nov. 10.—Rains have been fall-ing heavily for hours, and the indications favor a rise in both the Kanawha and Ohio rivers by mornrise in both the Ashawia and Onlo rivers by morning. Prominent timbermen here from up the Little Kanawha say that \$500,000 worth of ties and other timber are on the panks waiting a rise. A general rise in the Kanawha and its tributaries will bring out the greatest run of timber ever known.

What Upper Gauges Show. ALLEGHENY JUNCTION-River 1 foot 7 inches and rising. Cloudy and raining.

MORGANTOWN-River 4 feet and stationary.
Cloudy. Thermometer 54° at 5 P. M.

BROWNSVILLE-River 4 feet 6 inches and stationary.
Cloudy. Thermometer 55° at 5 P. M.
WARREN-River 0.5 feet below low water mark,
Cloudy and moderate.

The News From Below.

WHEELING—River1 foot 11 inches and stationary. Raining.
CAHOD—Arrived—City of Paducah, St. Louis.
River 2 feet 8 inches and rising. Fair and cool.
CINCINNATI—River 5 feet 4 inches and rising.
Cloudy and cold.
MEMPHIS—Arrived—City of Mississippi from St.
Louis: Chickasaw from Cat Island. River 1 foot 2 inches and rising. Clear and Pleasant.
ST. LOUIS—No arrivals. Departed—Ford Herold, Memphis. River rising; 4 feet 8 inches. Clear and colder. and colder.

LOUISVILLE—River rising: 3 feet 8 inches in canal, 1 foot 4 inches on falls, 5 feet at foot of locks. Business dull. Good rain last night and to-day

Picked Up on the Levee. THE marks below the Davis Island dam show eet 8 inches.

G. W. C. JOHNSTON left for Marietta last night to inspect the new boat being built for the Cincin-nati line to that point. to inspect the new hoat being dult for the Chechmatiline to that point.

The pleasure yacht Alene ran aground vesterday below the Davis Island dam. Both propellers were broken and her sides damaged considerably.

Colonel Merrella informed the shippers that the new dike at Marrietta Island has been finished, and there is now a waterway of 630 at Marletta, or 100 feet more than formerly. The dam at Blennerhassett Island is nearly finished also, he said, so that pilots need never stop again going up the river, and there is a good channel down the right hand shore. The trouble at Logstown, he said, is that the channel is unnatural. In conclusion, Colonel Merriii spoke hopefully of the work on river improvements, and said that in a few years many efficulties which beset river mavigation would be obviated.

after Saturday's game at Cambridge, and learned the details of the trick by which Stagg scored against Harvard. It was tried at the field practice this afternoon and worked like a charm. A run of 20 yards through the center and a touchdown resulted.

A Season's Good Showing.

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Although Arion's 2:14½ stopped Monbard Form the 'Varsity this afternoon and placed in the scrub eleven. It is pretty certain that the make up of the team which will face Princeton and Harvard will be as follows: Hinckey, left end; Wallis, left tackle; Heffelfinger, left guard;

PROJECTS. PENDING.

The Much-Desired Free Bridge Across to the Southside

MAY BE CONSTRUCTED NEXT YEAR.

Another Hundred Thousand Will Probably Be Sufficient.

GOOD PROSPECTS FOR THE NEW ARMORY

In all probability the proposed free bridge across the Monongahela river will be well under way at this time next year. Possibly it will be completed. In the appropriation of last spring \$150,000 was set aside for bridges. Of this \$50,000 was used for the Larimer and Forward avenue bridges, leaving \$100,000 for the Monogahela bridge. This amount, it was understood, was to be set aside and additional appropriations made to it each year until enough money was secured to build the bridge. From present estimates it looks as though next year's appropriation will be sufficient. Controller

Morrow said yesterday: "The money set aside for the bridge to the Southside is treated as a reserve fund and will not be allowed to revert to the sinking fund as other amounts are when not used up at the end of the fiscal year. It will be held for the purpose intended until the fund is large enough to accomplish the desired end. If a bridge can be built for \$200,000 it can be started early next spring, as Councils will doubtless set aside anothe \$100,000 for that purpose in the next appropriation ordinance.

Bridges Much Cheaper.

"A bridge can be built for \$150,000 or \$200,000" said A. F. Keating, "unless the city desires to go into the matter very deeply and erect something beyond the ordinary. Bridges are much cheaper now than they used to be."
On October 12 Mr. Benz introduced in Select Council the following resolution:

lect Council the following resolution:

Whereas, Councils appropriated \$100,000 for the purpose of building or buying a bridge across the Monongahela river; and Whereas, It appears that no active steps have been taken to ascertain what measures are necessary to bring about this much needed free communication between the Old City and Southside; therefore, be it Resolved, That a committee of five, two from Select and three from Common Councils, in conjunction with the Chief of the Department of Public Works, be appointed for the purpose of ascertaining all necessary information about buying or locating and building a free bridge across aforesaid river, and all other preliminaries to carry on the aforesaid project, and report the same to Councils within 60 days from date thereof.

It passed both branches and the following Councilmen were appointed on the commit-tee: Messrs. Benz, Robertson, Flinn, Fox and Taggert. So far as could be learned yesterday this committee has not held a meeting yet. Thirty days remain before its report will be due.

A Contest in Sight. As to the location of the bridge no action

has been taken and few suggestions have yet been made. Chief Bigelow said yesterday it would depend largely on what the people of the Southside want. The bridge will be chiefly for their benefit and they will have most to say about where it shall be. The vicinity of Soho on even farther up the river has been spoken of owing to the fact that it would provide a short route the fact that it would provide a short route from the Southside to Schenley Park and the Carnegie Library. Property owners in various parts of the Southside are anxious to have the bridge near them and a lively contest is expected before the site will be decided.

decided.

Another prospective improvement in the city is a new armory building where the old Fifth Avenue Market House new stands. A well-known military man said yesterday the project had not been dropped by any means. Several causes, which he did not care to speak about, have delayed matters thus far, but the prospect for a start

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